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Local Happenings

Reported by Elsie Mitchell

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Mendenhall left Monday for a visit to Utah. While there they will visit Mr. Mendenhall's mother in Spanish Fork who will celebrate her nineteenth birthday.

Bob Lafferty and Elmo Still left Wednesday for Chicago where they will ride in the Wild West Shows.

Mr. and Mrs. J. LeRoy Anderson and daughter Mozelle are spending a few days in Great Falls.

Little Miss Nedra Holt celebrated her eighth birthday Monday afternoon with a party for twenty of her little friends.

Miss Lil Robinson left Wednesday for Calgary where she will be bridesmaid at the wedding this week of her cousin.

C. W. Fisher was home from St. John for the week end.

At the fireside held at the home of Mrs. R. T. Graham fifty eight young people spent a pleasant evening.

Miss LaDon Meldrum entertained friends at her home last Thursday in honor of her birthday. The young people enjoyed games and contests, and Mrs. Meldrum served a lovely lunch at the close of the evening.

Mrs. Hovey, who is now living in Rosemary with her daughter has been visiting in Raymond, the guest of Mrs. Jack Hervey.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Thur of Cardston spent a few days visiting Mr. Thur's parents Mr. and Mrs. John Christensen.

Mrs. Fanny Litchfield entertained at a chicken dinner recently in honor of Mr. and Mrs. John Laqua.

The Friday Night Club members spent a very enjoyable evening Friday at the home of Miss Edith Woolley when they held their annual party. Rook was played, honors going to Mrs. Fanny Litchfield and consolation to Mrs. Vera Dawley. The evening closed with a delicious lunch being served.

Miss Mozelle Anderson of the Bank of Montreal Staff is on holiday.

Mrs. Harry Robinson is in Calgary this week end to attend the wedding of her niece.

Friends will be pleased to learn that Miss Marian Allen has arrived safely in England after a pleasant voyage on the Queen Elizabeth.

GOOD RESULTS ST. JOHN DRIVE

Recently the St. John Ambulance Association made an appeal for funds and a canvas of the town was made by the Service organizations of the town. A very good drive was reported and listed below is the results of the drive. The town was divided into sections and each section was given to a group to canvass. Lions, assisted by Womens Institute (N.W. section of Town) Mark Heninger—captain \$91.10 Rotarians assisted by Relief Society of First Ward (S-W section town) Neil Peterson—captain \$4.52 First Aiders Group (N-E section) W. VanOrman—captain \$68.00 Canadian Legion assisted by Ladies Aid (S-E section) Mel. Depew \$58.65 Canadian Sugar Factories \$50.00 Mental Hospital \$2.00 Raymond Buddhist Church \$20. John Horvath Shoe Shop \$19.50 Magrath \$12.00 Stirling \$2.00 Milford Colony \$5.00 TOTAL \$413.67 The committee in charge of the drive for the St. John Ambulance Appeal wish to express their appreciation for the splendid support of the drive by the people of the town and district.

THE Sport Spot



8:30 Friday night the Jacks began the first game of the ill-fated series that was to end so disastrously for them. The game started out fast with Remi Mitchell copping the first score of the series. Scoring remained even throughout the game, see-sawing back and forth, keeping an enthusiastic but none too large crowd of fans on their feet. Mitchell and Michelson were top men on the score sheet for this game with Mitchell puching them in from way back and Ollie tipping them in over the rim. Cad Rilson showed up amazingly both on the defense and offense, making some wonderful stops and tallying some fine long shots. The game ended with the Golden Bears on top of a 46-49 score.

Now comes the sad part. The second game at 2:30 Saturday afternoon found the Jacks appearing dead on their feet, while the Golden Bears were on one of those spears that every player dreams of but seldom sees. Bill Rich, of Magrath, went wild and scored 20 points himself the first half to only 17 for the whole Jacks team. At three quarter time he finally left the floor, high point man for the game with 27 points. The Jacks outscored the G.B. team the second half but could not overcome the commanding lead of the Bears and so went down to a 22 point defeat by a score of 70-48. And so ended the ill-fated series. And so ended the invincible Jacks who have counted the previous cup as theirs for almost 50 years, and Professor Van Vleet may now count yet another feather in his coaching cap for having, in one year, built a band of boys into a top-flight basketball team.

CAMPUS CAPERS

by MISAE HIRONAKA

According to world statistics the weather sex outnumbers that of the male in the ratio of 1-7. This was the main reason given by the Bold dashing Reed for their scandalous manners. They received a blast from the penitentiary in Joylane Datta's "Charm" column of the Ill-Times. Voicing the opinion of the fairer half (or should it be 7-5) of the R.I.S. she says the boys are getting away with murder; they never carry a girls book or even open the door for her. Of course Joylane puts a good share of the blame on the offended parties.

The retort came from the Esquire section, and although those of the superior sex had not allowed such puny thoughts to penetrate their formidable brains they defended their actions. They might enjoy the company of their fellow men more than that of a female; the few who do succumb to such vile charms should not degrade themselves more by carrying her books. Dates? They aren't seen going home in the dark, but the same went apply going.

Don't think that either sex will get away unscathed. A lot may depend upon the interpretation of the statistics. For example the statistical concerning percentage popularity. Statistics in the 1946 edition of the Canada Year Book show that in Alberta 53.6 per cent of the population are males, and 46.4 per cent are females. Between the ages of 15-19 in Canada there are 565,212 of the stronger sex to 554,823 of the fairer sex. But there is always the possibility that he is considering index and gentlemen in which case the ratio is much too small. If we exclude the 'heels', 'wolves', 'mice' and other undesirable specimen, the ratio would be more like 20 or 20 to 1 instead of 7 to 1. But who am I to say what he meant.

Mrs. Eva Pengilly of Stirling visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Palmer this week.

Self pity is a stagnant pool which breeds resentments.

HELEN ORGILL PUBLISHES BOOK

People of Raymond and district will well remember Mrs. Helen Orgill and will be extremely interested in the following clipping from a Los Angeles paper. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Orgill farmed south of Raymond in the O.K. district and were well known here.

Raising a family and teaching school both in her native Utah and in Canada, were not enough for Mrs. Robert S. Orgill, 775 Eucalyptus avenue, who has been a prolific writer of poetry most of her life. Just recently she has had a fine collection of her poems published by the Hobson press of New York, under the nostalgic title of "Songs of Courage".

Helen Kimball Orgill is a native daughter of Utah, being the daughter of Solomon K. Kimball of the First Company of Pioneers under Brigham Young. Mrs. Orgill's pioneering inheritance is reflected in her own life, especially during her college days at the old Latter Day Saints University of Utah, and as a teacher in Northwestern Canada. It was this spirit which led her to join that brave group of pioneers which colonized the wind-swept prairies of Alberta and there in the face of unprecedented hardship, aid in establishing a thriving modern community.

The desire to put thoughts into words came early to Helen Kimball and over several decades both her verse and poetic prose has appeared in the Improvement Era, Sunset Magazine, Salt Lake Tribune, Winnipeg Free Press, The Oregonian, Times, and many other periodicals and newspaper.

Her "Songs of Courage" which reflects many years of devotion to ideals and her gallant spirit reflecting pioneer days in Utah, in the Northwest and now in California which she particularly loves. The recently published poems, 40 in number which are for the most part are dedicated—and appropriately to the "veterans" of World War II; Mrs. Orgill's only son Lindy, is a veteran of the South Pacific Theatre of war.

After Mrs. Orgill's husband passed on, she moved to California where she is now filling a great need as a nurse in the Hawthorne Hospital and in her "spare" time is writing a book of her experiences in the far north. C. Logan Price who wrote the foreword to "Songs of Courage" expects to dramatize Mrs. Orgill's forth coming book for radio drama. Hawthorne is very pleased to have such a gallant and talented individual as Mrs. Orgill as a member of its family. Besides her son who lives with her she has a daughter living in Los Angeles.

NEWS NOTES

Saturday evening in Lethbridge at the home of Mrs. Ethel Norman members of the Zobel families gathered in honor of the birthday of Mr. Zobel Jr. and her daughter Mrs. Norman and the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Garth Galbraith.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hill of Joylane Price of Picture Palace are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

Mr. R.G. Byrne has recently purchased the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Nilsson of Lethbridge and will shortly move his family there. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Nilsson will be making their home in Vancouver.

Mrs. Wm. Schmidt Jr. entertained Monday evening at a family dinner in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Rose Baker, who are leaving shortly to make their home at the coast.

CARD OF THANKS

Words cannot adequately express our deep appreciation for the many kind and sympathetic letters that came to us at the time of our recent bereavement.

The Garner Family

JACKS ENTER DOMINION PLAYOFFS

At a meeting of the Jacks players and the Athletic executive Tuesday evening it was decided that the Raymond Union Jacks would play in the Dominion Basketball playoffs.

The University of Alberta Golden Bears have waived their right to play the Dominions and have given the Jacks the right to represent Alberta in their place.

The Golden Bears will remain the Provincial Champions no matter who takes the Dominion.

Rather than see the Eastern Champs go through to the west coast the Jacks intend that they shall not pass without a struggle. The winner of the Manitoba and Saskatchewan division will meet the Jacks sometime in the early part of April.

A LETTER TO OUR FIRE BRIGADE

The Raymond Volunteer Fire Department:

Gentlemen:

The Town Council wishes to express its appreciation for the efficient work of the Volunteer Fire Department in the past.

The Department has saved a great deal of property in the town and district at personal inconvenience and danger to the members. The thanks of the town for this service is hereby extended.

With better equipment now available it is hoped that the efficiency of the Department may be maintained and the aid and cooperation of the Council in improving the Department is pledged.

Yours truly,
The Town Council.

COMBINED RELIEF SOCIETY CELEBRATE

First and Second Ward Relief Societies met together March 18 in the Second Ward Recreation hall for their St. Patrick Day Program. President Angelina Witbeck presided and conducted. The meeting opened with singing "Church in the Wildwood". Sister Elizabeth King opened with prayer followed by Community singing. Addresses of welcome were given by both presidents, Retta Walton and Angelina Witbeck. A one act play directed by Larce Dahl was greatly enjoyed as was a duet by Mrs. Gehmlich and Mrs. Tyenssen. A reading was given by Elizabeth Watson and piano solo by Mrs. Emma Dahl. Mrs. Jeanine Jensen rendered a vocal solo. The Rhythm band from "Frog Creek" consisted of Mame Roberts, Irene Bowden, Dora Thomson, Laura Hoesche, Eunice Snow, Meiba Atwood and Eva Jensen. This band was a big surprise to the audience and enjoyed by all.

A fashion show concluded the program. A very delicious lunch was served to nearly two hundred. Both program and lunch committees are to be commended on their preparation which made the party a huge success.

FIRST WARD MUTUAL WILL SPONSOR PLAYS

Tuesday evening in the Raymond First Ward, the Mutual of that Ward will sponsor a Night of One Act Plays, three in number.

Special numbers have been prepared to fill in between the plays. Hard work has not been spared and the evening will finish off with dancing.

This program is sponsored free to all and the first curtain is scheduled to rise at 7:30 sharp. Don't forget Tuesday March 25 is a night of One Act Plays in the 1st ward.

LADIES AID NOW CALLED WOMEN'S AUXILIARY

The regular monthly meeting of the Raymond United Church Ladies Aid was held Friday evening, March 14th, at the home of Mrs. Teddy Wagstaffe with the President Mrs. Hilda Wilde in the chair.

An outstanding feature of the evening was the decision of the members to change its name from the Ladies Aid to the Womens Auxiliary. Following the usual business plans were made for a Spring Tea and Sale of Work to be held in the United Church on Saturday April 12. The door prize donated by Mrs. Wilde was won by Mrs. Allen.

A delicious lunch was served by hostess and brought to a close a very pleasant evening. The next meeting of the Womens Auxiliary will be held at the home of Mrs. T. Allen. Members and friends are cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. S.B. Card were hosts at a lovely dinner party Monday evening when they had as their guests the Raymond's Honored Guests Committee. During the evening Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hall were selected as the Secretaries of the Committee and Mr. and Mrs. Hamp Witbeck will take over the Chairmanship. After the party the thirty guests attended the St. Patrick's dance.



DOROTHY ALT, formerly of Plum Coulee, Manitoba, is the singer heard on Latin American Serenade (CBC Dominion Network) Wednesdays, 9:30 p.m.

DISRUPTED MAILS

Disrupted mail service made it impossible for us to publish the district news from Stirling, New Dayton and Welling. This service will be resumed next week.

FLOODS RAGE UNCHECKED

Heavy thaws and the recent heavy snow fall has sent great rivers of water coursing through the town. Basements and low spots are under water. The same thing can be expected every year unless provisions are made to clear a channel in the canal before the spring break up.

A traffic ban has been imposed on the roads in the district and towns and buses are at a standstill. Now would be a good time for government officials to drop down and take a look at conditions in the area and make arrangements for an action highway campaign here.

WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Underground coal miners in Britain will be exempt from military service for the next five years.

The export-import bank in Washington announced that it will lend no more money to other countries for "emergency reconstruction".

Despite unusually bad weather, 8,824 permanent houses were completed in Britain in January, a government statement said.

Co-operatives in Manitoba will be subject to a five per cent. corporation income tax the same as any other corporation, Premier Garson said in the legislature.

Canada will spend an estimated \$400,000 on tourist advertising this year, the House of Commons was told in a return tabled for J. W. Murphy (Lambton West).

Platinum treasure belonging to Adolf Hitler worth thousands of dollars has been discovered by Allied officials in a German bank. The platinum was said to have been a gift of a wealthy South African.

The Soviet army paper Red Star reported that a leading Soviet parachutist, Col. Romanyuk, had made a successful jump from the stratosphere, generally taken to begin at a height of six to eight miles.

A motion urging calf clubs of each province to exhibit at the Toronto Royal Fair this year was made at the final session of the Canadian Council of Boys' and Girls' club work two-day convention in Winnipeg.

Loses Cigarette Case Worth \$1,100

HOLLYWOOD.—Film Actress Dorothy Lamour's \$1,100 cigarette case, a trinket featuring 50 rubies and 30 diamonds, was lost recently at a cafe party given by Producer Walter Wanger, she reported to the sheriff's office.

Pierre Renoir, famous French painter, first painted on porcelain.

Most Mothers Do This If Baby Has A Cold

AT BEDTIME rub throat, chest, back with VapoRub. Relief-bringing action starts right away...

WORKS FOR HOURS while child sleeps. Often by morning the cold is eased.

Best-known home remedy you can use to relieve distress of children's colds is comforting Vicks VapoRub. Even while you rub it on, VapoRub starts to work to ease distress...and it keeps on working during the night. No wonder most mothers do this when a cold strikes.

VICKS VAPORUB

R.C.A.F. RECEIVE FIRST HELICOPTER

Air Force Headquarters has announced that the first of three Sikorsky helicopters ordered by the R.C.A.F. arrived at Rockcliffe recently. The second will be delivered later and the third in August.

The aircraft, similar to that which rescued survivors of the Belgian airliner crash in Newfoundland, will be flown by an R.C.A.F. pilot from the Sikorsky plant at Bridgeport, N.Y., touching down briefly at Dorval en route. Air Force pilots have been under instruction for the past month at Farmingdale, N.Y., and these will form the nucleus of a corps of instructors to convert other pilots to the wingless aircraft.

The first helicopter will go to the Central Flying School at Trenton for the instruction period. The second will remain at Rockcliffe for a month to familiarize pilots of the Experimental and Proving Unit with its operation. Later the helicopters will be used for training and rescue operations, and in co-operation with the Canadian Army, the Navy, the Mounted Police and other Government departments.

White Man's Life Changes Indians

Stature of Indians living in the Norway House area is shrinking in size because of the dietary habits they have picked up from the white men, Dr. Frank Tisdale of Toronto, told the joint senate and house of commons committee on Indian affairs.

Records of the Hudson Bay store at Norway House show the Indians are today buying smaller shirts and suits than their fathers and grandfathers, the Toronto doctor testified. He was a member of a party of medical men and other experts who visited Norway House to gather data on the present state of the Indian.

Today the Indian lives largely on food he can buy at the store with money from the sale of the few pelts he gets. Eighty-five per cent. of the food bought was white flour, sugar and lard, all foods lacking in vitamins. Forty years ago the Indian depended upon eating animals he hunted.

"The Indian used to eat the vitamin-rich inside parts of the animals and birds and fish. Now he throws it away, aping the white man's custom," said Dr. Tisdale.

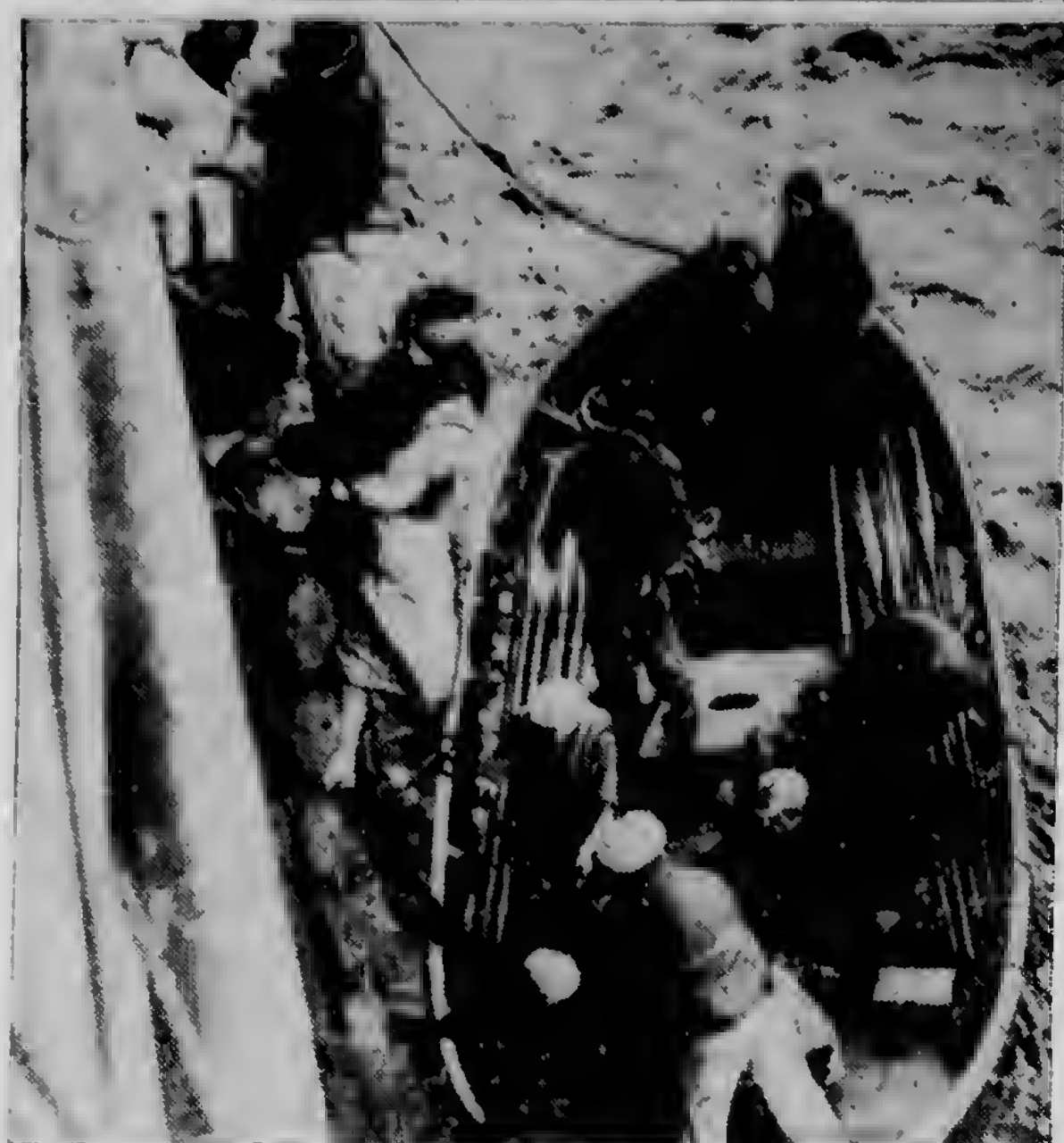
How Chinese Eat Their Porridge

Breakfasting in London's Soho, a Scot decided to see how well he might fare at a Chinese restaurant. He found himself in an atmosphere of dragons and incense. Then a cat-footed waiter brought a nice plate of porridge. It was real porridge and could not have been served more pleasantly in Glasgow—except that chopsticks came with it. After a minute's struggle the visitor gave in and demanded a spoon.

London Chinese have taken to porridge since the rice shortage, and they often take milk and sugar, too. They can also clear their plates with chopsticks. Spoons are kept for helpless foreigners.—Glasgow Herald.

A GOOD IDEA

If your youngsters are pin-up enthusiasts, furnish them with good-sized bulletin-type boards made of soft wood where they can thumb-tack their cutouts. It will save disfiguring marks on wallpaper or painted walls.



RESCUED FROM TWO JIMA WRECK — All 39 persons aboard the freighter Lake Sapor were saved after the ship struck a reef during a storm near Two Jima. Crew members are seen aboard the rescue ship.

A prehistoric palace, said to be more than 4,000 years old, was found at Tepe Hissar, in Persia.

Youngsters Taken To Kidnapping Cats

KIRKLAND LAKE. — Teek Township police are looking for youngsters who have taken to kidnapping cats here. Mrs. W. Wall reported to police that her cat had been returned after she paid \$1 "ransom". Now another cat's missing.

HOLDS TOP PLACE

It is said that apple pies were once called "apple sticklin", "apple twel-in", and "apple hogum" by old English housewives, and that they were baked more than 600 years ago exactly as they are today. Call apple pie by any name, and it's still the prince of pies when properly made.

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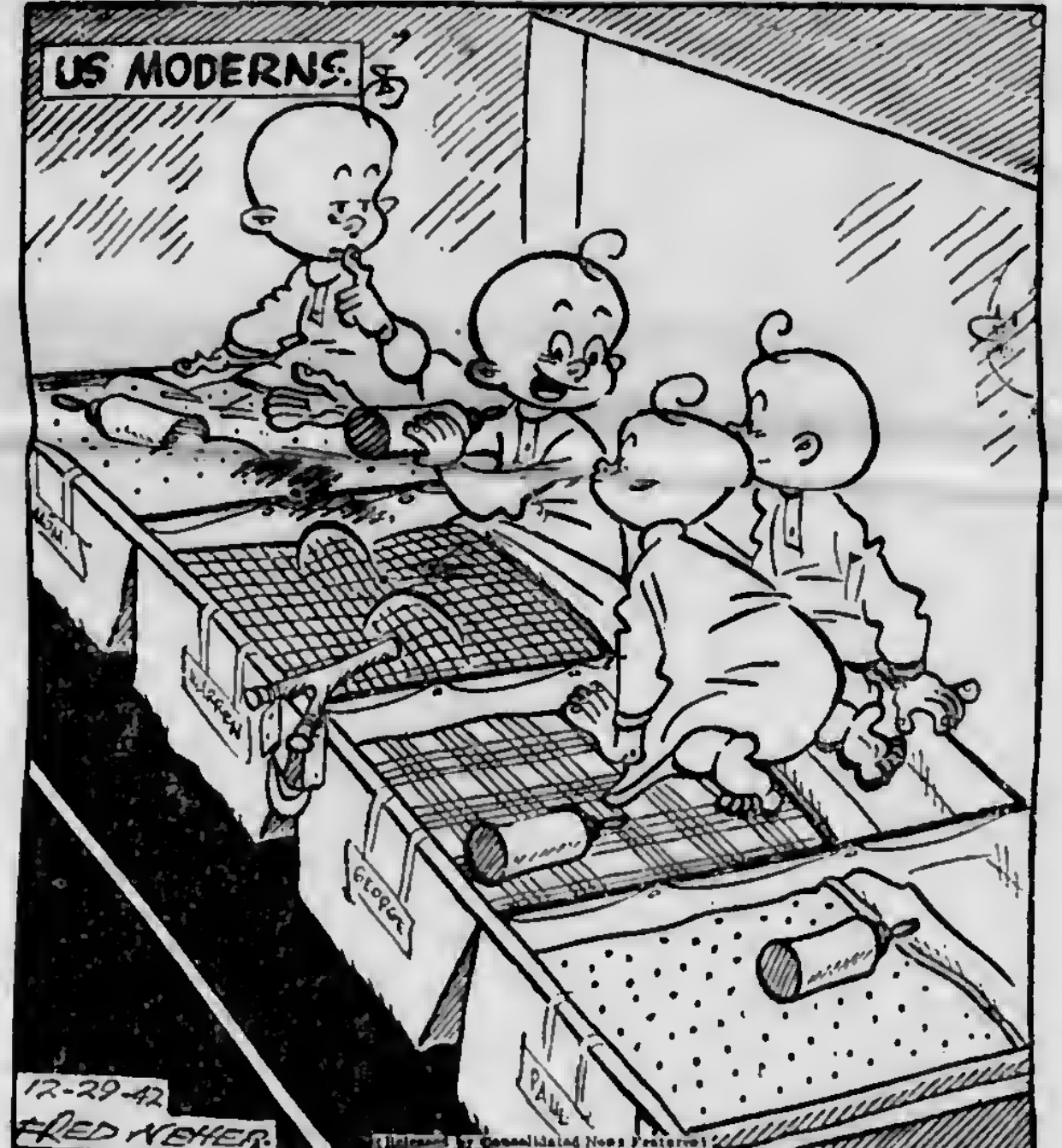
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100 tablets 79c

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GENUINE ASPIRIN IS MARKED THIS WAY

LIFE'S LIKE THAT By Fred Neher



LITTLE REGGIE

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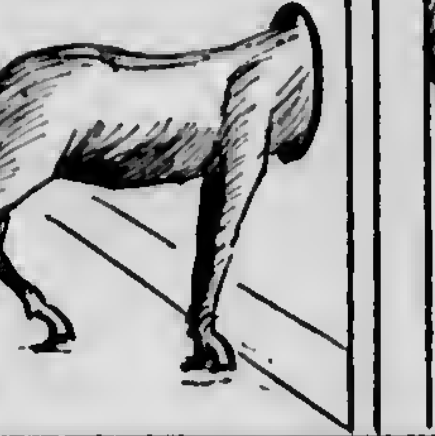
REGGIE HOW LOVELY! WHERE DID YOU GET THAT BEAUTIFUL DEER-HEAD!



I JUST ADORE BIG, STRONG MEN!



YOU HEARD ME? PUT 'EM DOWN--NOBODY THROWS SNOWBALLS AT MY GIRL!



OH HE FOLLOWED ME HOME!



PEGGY

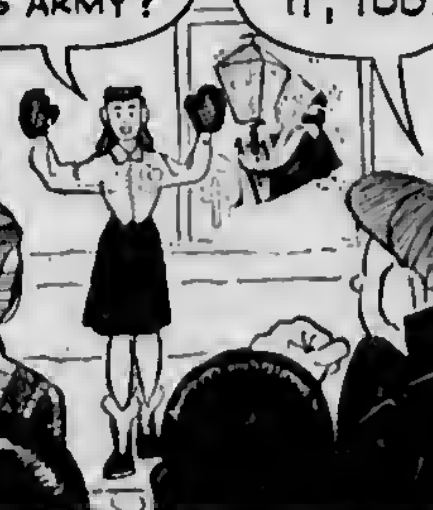
OR, THOSE HORRID LITTLE KIDS--I'LL FIX THEM!



THIS CALLS FOR TACT!



WAIT! HOLD YOUR FIRE--WHO IS THE LEADER OF THIS ARMY?



I AM-- AND I CAN PROVE IT, TOO!



SMASH!



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Survey Shows Modern Miss Shuns Cooking

NEWARK, N.J.—The modern miss prefers to determine "what's cooking?" rather than how to cook it, a survey of freshmen at Rutgers University New Jersey College for women showed.

Top preference was given to the study of journalism by 21 per cent. of the 378 first-year students. Home economics was picked by nine per cent.

NO MORE SMALL FEET

Women have, on the average, larger feet than their mothers and grandmothers. Size two and a half, which was fairly common 40 years ago, is not stocked now, the average size today being five.

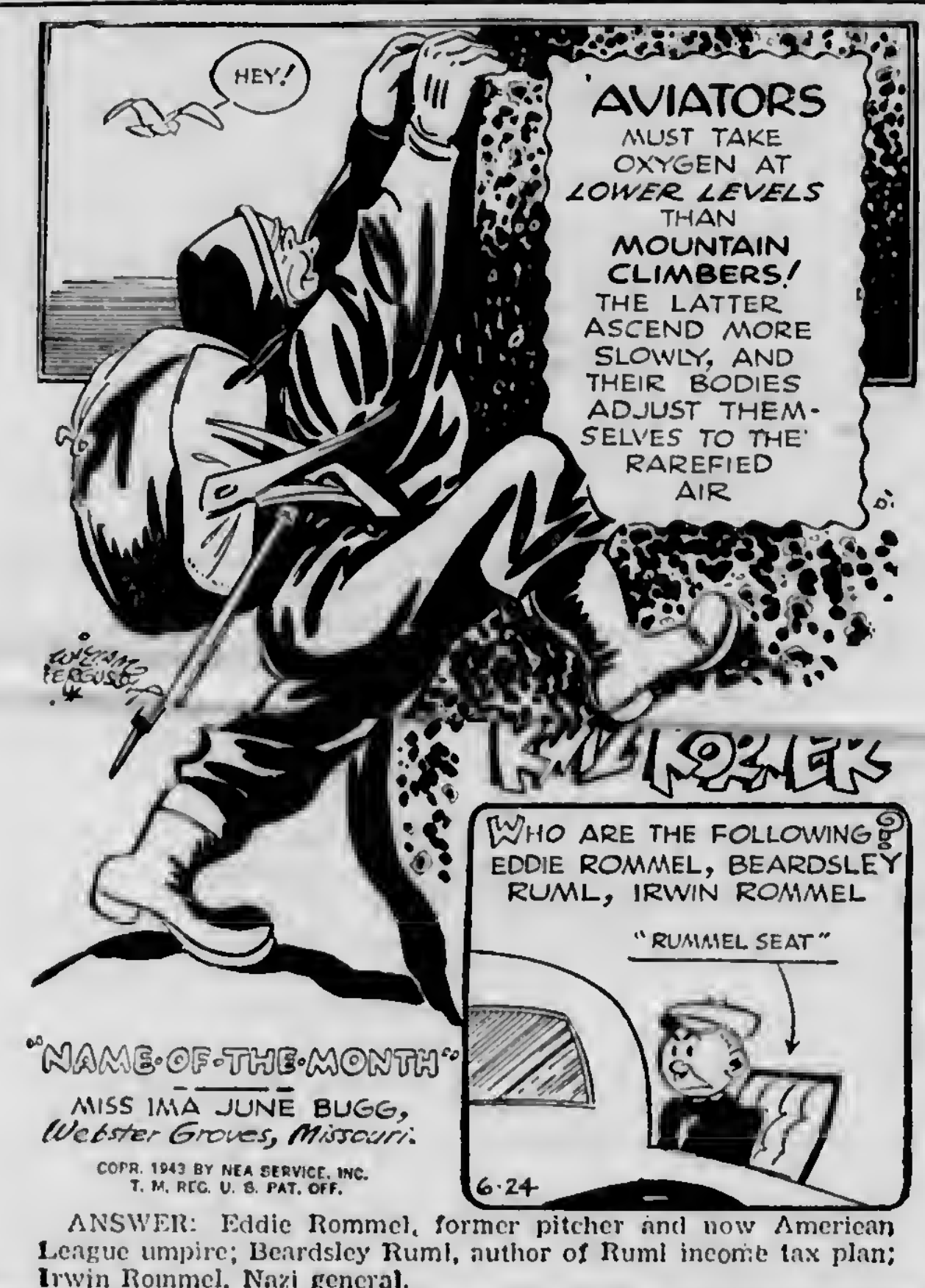
MANY DESCENDANTS

The rose has contributed largely to the world's rich variety of flowers. Many of our most popular flowers of today have descended from the rose family and founded families of their own.

When your BACK ACHES...

Backache is often caused by lazy kidney action. When kidneys get out of order excess acids and poisons remain in the system. Then backache, headache, rheumatic pain, disturbed rest or that "tired out" feeling may soon follow. To help keep your kidneys working properly—use Dodd's Kidney Pills. Time-tested, popular, safe, non-habit-forming. Demand Dodd's Kidney Pills, in the blue box with the red band. Sold everywhere. 135

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By WILLIAM FERGUSON



X-X OUR CROSSWORD PUZZLE X-X

HORIZONTAL

1 A light wood

6 To suppose

11 Jumped

13 Musical dramas

14 Teutonic deity

15 Coming

17 Pronoun

18 River island

20 The European blackbird

21 A beverage

22 To peruse

24 To transfix

25 Above

26 Child's blackboard (pl.)

28 Hastened

29 Cupid

30 Observed

31 Heraldry: grafted

32 To alter

34 Insects

35 Garden implement

36 Progeny

38 Becat of, burden

41 Arid

42 Symbol for ruthenium

43 A purple, flowered evergreen shrub

49 Pacific Island screw pine

46 Mountain nymphs

48 A season

50 Approaches

51 Roman highways

VERTICAL

1 To dim

2 Eagle's nests

3 Musical note

4 Mineral spring

5 Pertaining to aircraft

6 A jewel

7 Swordsman's dummy stake

8 Symbol for iridium

9 Fastened

10 Compound ether

12 A fruit (pl.)

13 Place for baking

16 Egyptian goddess of motherhood

19 Gifts

21 Retallated

23 Light missile (pl.)

25 Bars

27 Part of foot

28 A body of water

30 Piece of paper (pl.)

32 To guarantee

33 To contend

34 More weird

36 Girl's name

35 Pronoun

37 Those who color garments

39 Small boys

40 Case for small articles

42 To prohibit

44 Danish division

47 Babylonian god

49 Prorogue

Answer To Last Week's Puzzle

P	A	L	M	E	E	T	S	W	H	Y
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LEGISLATURE NOTES

T. B. W.

Details in the Government's budget proposals has taken up most of the week in the Alberta Legislature with the major portion of the speeches coming from the more numerous government benches than from the opposition. On the whole the debate has been on a higher plane than some budget debates in the past, but outspoken controversy was not lacking at some points along the way.

Following the conclusion of Premier Manning's lengthy budget speech Friday, Mr. J. Percy Page, Independent opposition leader took the floor Monday afternoon and proceeded to discuss the budget proposals. There was much in the budget this year to commend itself to the house, he said, but some things required close scrutiny and would not meet with approval.

The opposition leader took up a greater part of his speech to criticize the government's proposals for education. He wanted the demand of many people for a fifty per cent contribution to the cost of education to be the proportion said by the government and declared the government was paying a smaller per centage of the public revenue on education now than the former U.F.A. Government paid.

The \$2,000,000 allocated for education, Mr. Page said, would cost the government absolutely nothing, as the not profit from the sale of liquor appointed to exactly the same sum, and this, in his estimation, was nothing more or less than "found money."

Referring to the public accounts to show how the revenues of the pro-

vince have been climbing upwards since the present Social Credit administration took office, Mr. Page gave the figures as follows:

"According to the Public Accounts for 1936 the revenue per capita was \$21.61. Since that time the figures have mounted steadily as follows:

1937—\$26.84	1942—\$34.51
1938—31.22	1943—35.12
1939—30.82	1944—37.41
1940—31.02	1945—39.37
1941—31.66	1946—50.58

We are told by the provincial Treasurer in his present budget address that the estimated revenue from Income Account for the coming fiscal year will be \$44,228,625. If we assume that our population is approximately 800,000 (and it is probably less), then the per capita revenue from Income Account for the coming fiscal year will be \$55.46 as compared to a per capita figure of \$21.61 when this government took office—an increase of 157 per cent.

Mr. Page then went on to show what the record of expenditures on Education by the S.C. Government had been over a period of years. He said "If you will examine the public accounts for 1936 which covers the last year for which the U.F.A. Government had budgeted, you will find that out of every dollar of revenue, the amount expended for education was \$14.80. Let us follow this item along for the subsequent ten year period.

In 1937, the percentage of each revenue dollar paid out for education dropped from 14.80 to 12.31. In 1938 it dropped still lower, to 10.56. In 1939 it was 11.14; in 1940 11.75; in 1941, 12.42; in 1942, 12.15; in 1943, 11.66; in 1944, 11.95; in 1945, 12.74 and in 1946, 11.70. In other words the percentage of the revenue dollar spent on education by this government has never come within 2.06 of that spent in 1936, and in 1946 ac-

ording to the latest issue of the Public Accounts, the percentage stands at 11.70 as compared to 14.80 ten years previous.

In reply to Mr. Page's charges that less was being spent on education now than ten years ago, Hon. R.E. Ansley, Minister of Education gave the following tabulation of figures showing the total amount spent on Education in the 1947-48 budget to be:

Total Provincial Expenditures on Education.	
Income account	
Department of Education including the University.....	\$7,373,114
Canadian vocational training	
net cost to Prov.	140,995
Dept. of Agric.	
Schools of Agriculture	152,325
Dept. of Pub. Works	
maintenance educa. bldgs	171,219
	\$7,838,153
Capital Account	
Dept. of Public Works, New bldgs and equipment	
University of Alberta	905,000
Tech. School Calgary	105,000
Schools of Agric.	548,800
Less Fed. re-imburse.	339,870
	1,558,830
Total	1,218,970
Total of two accounts	9,057,123

The above total exceeds the corresponding figure for the previous year by \$2,470,929.

THE ALBERTA EDUCATIONAL COUNCIL

Town and city schools have been able, during good times and bad, to maintain their schools at a satisfactory level of proficiency. The fact that each of these communities represents a certain concentration of wealth on which funds for school purposes can be levied with some measure of ease will explain this. These centres have been well satisfied to receive rather small assistance from the Provincial Treasury, while rural areas with smaller money resources have received greater aid. The present action by the Alberta Educational Council to have the Provincial Government increase elementary and secondary education to 50 per cent of total cost does not mean that all schools

THE ANNUAL DISTRICT

MEETING of the

Horse Co-operative Marketing Association

is being held at

Brooks, March 29th, 1947

at the Horticultural Station Office

at 2:00 p.m.

the province would, were such a reform introduced, have one half of their costs transferred to the Government. It means rather that on an over-all basis financial assistance from general revenue would be raised

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MY WEEK

by R. J. Deachman

Some time ago I wrote an article on the weather in which I commented on the deep snow and cold in Western Canada and then explained that in Ottawa, the home of the Federal Government we were having a delightful winter, one of the happiest I can recall. I spoke too soon! It started to snow on Saturday night and kept at it. I walked down town on Sunday afternoon, it was heavy going, still snowing. Then on Monday morning I found a remarkable situation. Every morning at half past eight the streets are full of motor cars, this time there wasn't a car. Some of the roads had been ploughed, but the cars were in the garages, the owners couldn't get the doors open. They were, so to speak, snowed shut. So for the first time in the last twenty years I didn't see a car on the streets or on the cross streets on the way down town.

Thirty inches of snow fell in a period of two or three days. Ottawa

has the best machinery you could find in the world for getting rid of snow but the snow turned soft and while light snow can readily be cleared away by this equipment, it is slow business when the snow becomes soggy and heavy to move. Henceforth when I write about a pleasant winter in Ottawa, I shall wait until the 10th of May, then my remarks will be all-inclusive.

I read recently a statement from a college professor in which he said that if it were possible to stimulate world wide interest in nutrition there would be no surplus of farm products. The learned gentleman was quite right. We can stimulate interest in countries which have food products for sale and therefore have a direct interest in finding a market but what about countries like India and China with a population of some where around 800 million and a population increase of 5 million a year. Occasionally famine sweeps them away in millions, if it didn't they would be so crowded that they would hardly have standing room.

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they are able to produce the products which must be put out in payment for the products brought in. I pause for an answer?

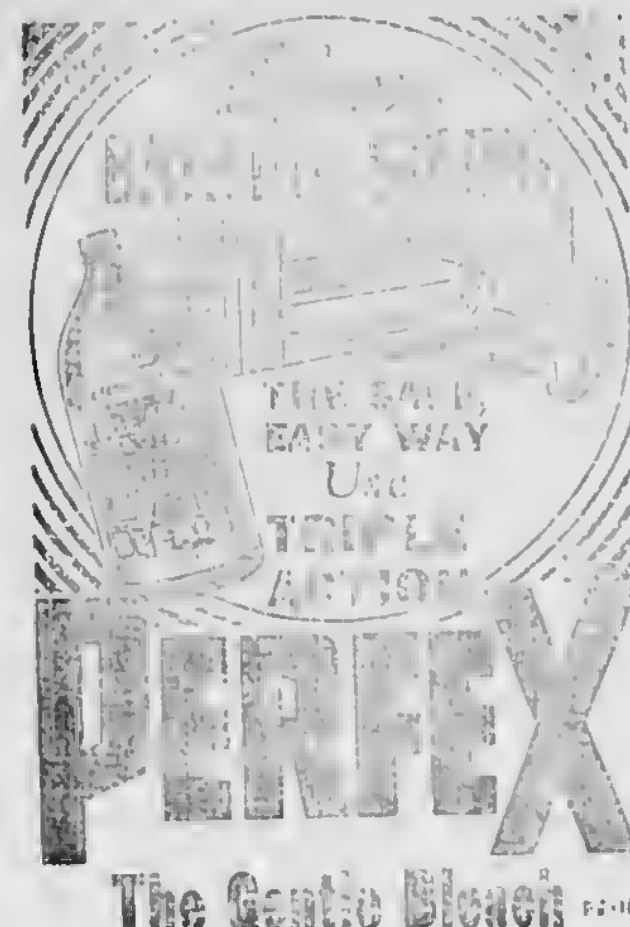
The stamina of these people is low. They are horribly undernourished. Their resources are not capable of producing the necessary food. Proper nutrition for them is a distant dream. How are we going to bring about a different condition is more than I can see. There are two answers. Birth control so as to bring about a declining population, improvement in capacity to produce, by development of industry. Its a long time program. I too am an optimist but even babbling optimism would fall down before such facts as these.

Some place, somewhere, not long ago I read an item which told what Russia was doing with pre-fabricated houses. Everything in these houses, except the doors and windows is made of concrete and gypsum. The gypsum is a combination of raw material and plaster of paris. It is said to be waterproof, resistant to heat and cold, light to handle, and houses consist of three rooms and a kitchen. The houses are cheap to build and if the story is true it will be a temporary solution of the housing problem and in Russia, in the small towns and in the country, they cannot expect much more than that for a long period of time. Now and then I see articles about Russia's "Five Year Plan" and the amazing progress made under it. Consider these statements in regard to the completion of the "Five Year Plan"

Raymond's streets are like the weather; everybody talks about them but nobody seems to be able to do anything about them.

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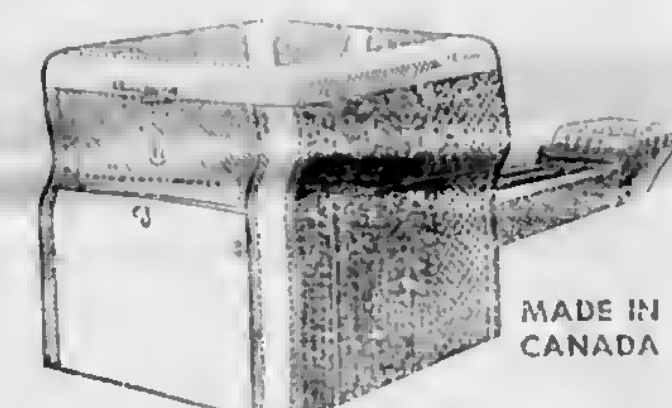
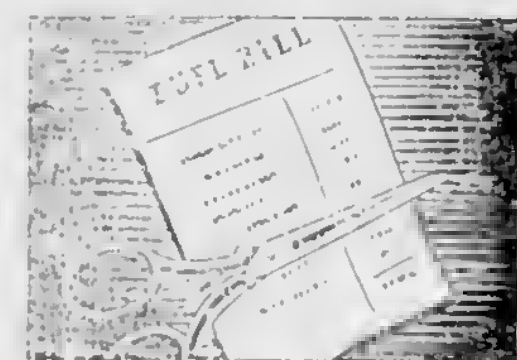
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Rural Housing

THE QUESTION OF HOUSING remains to the fore in Canadian affairs and constitutes one of the major problems facing the country at this time. In large cities and densely populated industrial districts the situation has been particularly acute, and most of the public interest and concern in the matter has been directed towards those areas. It is there, too, that the greatest efforts have been made to relieve the existing shortage and there is no doubt but that the need has been greatest in such places. It should not be overlooked, however, that rural housing has likewise been affected by wartime shortages of labor and materials, and that no national housing project will be complete until conditions in rural districts have been greatly improved.

Many Advances Have Been Made

There are fine model homes and buildings on many farms in Western Canada, but there are also a great many cases where too little care and planning has gone into the building of farm houses. In recent years great advances have been made in designs for suitable farm homes, including improved methods of heating, water supply and other features important to the comfort and convenience of the farmer and his family. It is of interest to note in this connection that recently a meeting, attended by rural housing representatives from various parts of the prairie provinces was held in Saskatoon. At this meeting, which was sponsored by the Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation, it was suggested that a co-ordinating committee be appointed to investigate all matters allied with improvement in rural housing, community centres, and similar buildings.

Is A Need For Better Homes

Long before the present housing problem had arisen, it was realized by many people that too great a discrepancy existed between the comfort afforded by the home of the average city dweller, and that of the average farm home. It was realized too that facilities for community life could be greatly improved in rural areas. A rise in the standard for homes, community centres and other buildings in rural areas would no doubt have the effect of keeping many ambitious and enterprising young people on farms, who might otherwise be attracted by the advantages of urban life. Better-planned homes do not necessarily mean more expensive ones, as has been demonstrated in many housing projects in the past. When the present housing problem in Canada has been solved, it is to be hoped that rural areas will have benefited as well as the more thickly populated sections of the country.

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Sift dry ingredients together; cut in shortening. Mix in cheese lightly; add milk slowly. Roll out on floured board to 1/2-inch thick; cut with small biscuit cutter. Bake in hot oven (475 F.) 12 to 15 minutes. Makes 12.



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Frau Goering Also Carried Poison Capsule

NEUHAUS, Germany—Frau Emmy Goering, soon to face denazification proceedings before a German court, said she herself carried a poison capsule similar to the one with which her husband evaded the gallows at Nuremberg.

The widow of Reichsmarshal Hermann Goering said that, when the end was in sight for the Nazi regime, "we all got small capsules." Hers, she said, was intended for use only if she had been severely injured "by an air raid or similar event."

The 53-year-old woman is charged as a "profiteer of Nazism." The panelly upon conviction could be 10 years at hard labor.

GEMS OF THOUGHT

LITTLE THINGS

The power of little things to give instruction and happiness should be the first lesson in life, and it should be faceted deeply.—Russell H. Conwell.

Most of the critical things in life, which become the starting points of human destiny, are little things.—Robert P. Smith.

Seeing that we have to attain to the ministry of righteousness in all things, we must not overlook small things in goodness or in badness, for "trifles make perfection," and "the little foxes... spoil the vines."—Mary Baker Eddy.

Trifles discover character more than actions of seeming importance; what one is in little things he is also in great.—Swift.

In great matters men show themselves as they wish to be seen; in small matters, as they are.—Gamaliel Bradford.

It's just the little homely things, The unobtrusive friendly things, The "won't-you-let-me-help-you" things

That make our pathway light.

—Grace Haines



IT'S A GOOD TRICK... IF YOU ESCAPE—Incredible as it may seem, the driver of the trailer truck, shown above after it had crashed from a Chicago, Ill., viaduct, was able to walk away. "My back's a little lame," admitted driver Robert Balduie, who lost control of the vehicle, which landed between two trains.

FUNNY And OTHERWISE

Maude—Dick called me a dream last night.
Bert—Well, only yesterday, he told me what awful dreams he had.

Young Lady—"I wonder why it is that a man is so timid when he proposes?"
Bachelor—I suppose it is one of his guarding angels is holding him back.

Tom was very careful of the truth; punctilious in fact. So when he got married and the minister asked him, "Well, Tom, I suppose you feel you got the best wife in the world?" Tom replied:

"I think, sir, she is God's handiwork, but I shouldn't say she is His masterpiece."

"Well, Dick, my boy," said his uncle, "my congratulations! I hear Robbins' wins."
"Rather!" replied Dick, heartily.

"But," said his uncle, "how on earth do you manage to tell them apart?"

"Oh," said the young man, "I don't try."

Visitor—"What nice buttons you are sewing on your little boys' suit! My husband once had some like that on his suit."

Wear's Wife—"Yes, I get all my buttons out of the collection plate."

Mother: "What are the young man's intentions?"
Daughter: "Well he's been keeping me pretty much in the dark."

"Carter is the most absent-minded chap I ever met," remarked a clubman to a fellow-member.

"What's he been doing now?" inquired the other.

"Why, this morning he thought he'd left his watch at home, and then he took it out to see if he had time to go back and get it."

"That isn't as bad," said the second man, reminiscently, "as the time when he left his office and put out a card saying he'd be back at 3 o'clock. Finding he'd forgotten something, he went back to the office, read the notice on the door, and sat down on the stairs to wait until 3 o'clock."

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Smuggling of drugs and their transportation around England has been carried on by means of carrier pigeon.

A United Kingdom firm is now manufacturing a radio oven which will cook a complete meal in a few minutes. All one has to do is place the food to be cooked between two thin metal plates or electrodes and switch on the "oven". The food is cooked so swiftly it never burns. It takes only two minutes to cook about 1/4-lb. of meat.

Bears, timber wolves, turkey, peacocks, raccoons, wild geese, pheasants, and skuaks wintered well in pens but the monkeys stuck to the heated pens.

Chief attendant A. E. Smith and his staff were forced to shovel eight-foot drifts away from the fences almost every day. They feared that larger animals would be able to walk over the fences.

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MODERN METHODS BEING USED IN TRAINING SOUTH AFRICA'S ARMY

—BUILD STRENGTH TO 24,000

JOHANNESBURG.—Modern methods are being employed in the training of South Africa's youthful peace-time army—the Active Citizen Force—which it is proposed to build to a strength of about 24,000 men.

Under the South African Defence Act, citizens of European descent between the ages of 17 and 25 are liable to undergo training in either the land forces, air force or South African Naval Service. An encouraging feature of the post-war revival of the Active Citizen Force is the large number of recruits. Although youth are required to register for training at the age of 17 they need not begin their four years' service until they become 21.

At Potchefstroom in the Transvaal, the biggest training centre in the Union, a new organization has been established as a separate unit. Here experienced permanent force instructors staff the training depot.

The permanent force—the regular army of the Union Defence Force—maintains key personnel in Active Citizen Force Units and in training establishments.

Training is in two phases. In the first two weeks the recruits will be in the hands of permanent force instructors and in the second phase, unit commanding officers will be responsible for training programs, which will have the prior approval of the brigade group headquarters.

Individual training is aimed at, and the squads of men will be kept small. As a senior officer said "we have learned that every man is an individual with a different background, outlook and ambitions."

The training at the depot comprises squad drill, rifle exercises, platoon drill, guards and sentries, musketry, field craft and battle exercises. Some specialists' units like artillery are given gun drill and are instructed in the maintenance of equipment and the engagement of targets. Lectures on a variety of subjects and demonstrations are also given.

The men are trained to use the latest military weapons. New equipment has been imported from the Middle East and Italy.

Quarters are comfortable and the men have beds with mattresses and hot and cold showers.

"The old idea that a soldier should be as uncomfortable as possible has changed," said a senior officer. "We try to make men under training happy and contented."

Sports facilities abound. There is a swimming bath, tennis and tennis courts, cricket, hockey and football fields and facilities for boxing.

Students Prefer Town To City

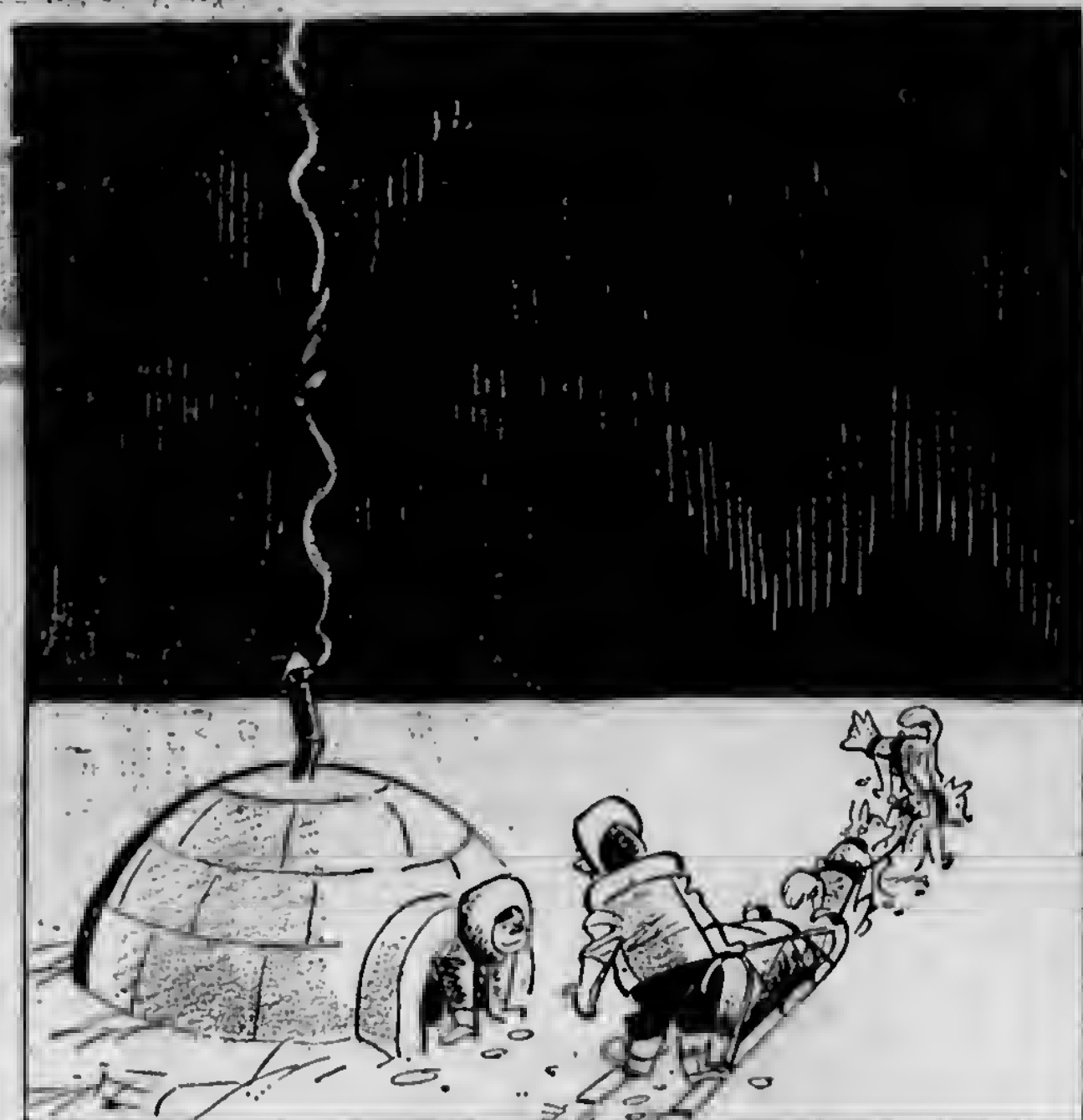
Of 134 students voting in a Des Moines, Iowa, school 33 expressed the opinion that the big city is the place to live, 39 preferred the small town, and only 12 the country.

Those who voted for farm life gave interesting reasons. The city, they said, was too lonesome. They liked the neighborliness and the fellowship of the country. Life on the farm nowadays combined all the advantages offered both by city and small town since either was easily accessible to the farmers. In addition by living on the farm they escaped the gossip of the village, and the impersonal existence of the city.—Chat-ham News.

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Lifting Ceiling Price On Gas And Distillate

OTTAWA.—The prices board announced that effective April 1 the price ceiling on gasoline and tractor distillates will be removed and the Dominion excise tax of three cents a gallon on gasoline will be cancelled, thus returning to the provinces another field of taxation taken by the federal government during the war.

In its announcement the board said the "price adjustments which may follow price decontrol of gasoline and tractor distillates will vary in different parts of Canada and will depend on the extent to which the cancellation of the Dominion excise tax will be offset by a new provincial tax in the various provinces or through increased laid-down costs to the refiners on imported crude oil."

Already Ontario and British Columbia have announced their intention to increase their own gasoline taxes by the amount of the cancelled federal levy and Saskatchewan will boost its tax by two cents. It is believed other provinces may take similar action.

The Ontario action, announced in the provincial budget brought down at Queen's Park, will increase that province's tax from eight to 11 cents a gallon but will mean no increase to the motorist since it only replaces the Dominion levy being dropped. Likewise, there will be no increase to the motorist in British Columbia when that province increases its tax from seven to 10 cents.

The prices board said cancelling of the Dominion excise tax on gasoline, imposed as a wartime tax in 1941, was in accordance with an announcement by Finance Minister Abbott last December that it would be dropped April 1.

The board pointed out that at that time subsidies which were being paid on the importation of crude oil by refiners in the prairie provinces were cancelled but the price ceiling on gasoline and tractor distillate was ordered maintained until the subsidized stocks of crude oil were used up.

The board said that the using up of these subsidized stocks will "pretty well coincide with the April 1 date when the Dominion excise tax is cancelled so that the board is giving notice now that the price ceiling will be removed on that same date."

By doing so, it is not expected that adjustments on inventory stocks will be required.

STUDYING NEW AIR MAIL PLANS

OTTAWA. — Postmaster-General Bertrand said in the commons the post office department is studying the question of sending all first-class mail between distant points in Canada by air mail. He indicated also that consideration was being given to the possibility of reducing air mail rates.

Not Appreciated

MASHPEE, Mass. — Chief White Horse, leader of the Wampanoag tribe for 17 years, has resigned because his efforts "are not appreciated."

The chief, otherwise known as Clinton M. Hayes, announced that he was "washed up and through with my fellow tribesmen. They don't appreciate me and have given me no co-operation for years."

"I'm finished and packing away my feathers and skins in mothballs," he added.

Putting too many clothes in a washing machine reduces efficiency and prevents water from circulating freely.

1947 KINGS OF CURLING



Slender, soft spoken Jimmy Welsh, a worthy successor to the great curling masters of Manitoba, stood on the centre ice sheet of St. Andrews Curling Club at Saint John, N.B., and received the Macdonald's Brier Tankard, emblematic of the Dominion curling championship which Welsh and his Winnipeg Deer Lodge rink won without a defeat in the four-day curling event. Welsh and his rink, from right to left—Jimmy, skip; brother Alex Welsh, third; Jock Reid, second; and Harry Monk, lead.

Brier Tankard Record Listed

Here is the complete list of winners of the Macdonald's Brier Tankard, emblematic of the Canadian curling championship, since the Dominion-wide competition was first played in 1927:

- 1927—Murray MacNeill, Halifax Curling club, Halifax.
- 1928—Gordon Hudson, Strathcona club, Winnipeg.
- 1929—Gordon Hudson, Strathcona, Winnipeg.
- 1930—Howard Wood, Granite club, Winnipeg.
- 1931—Robert G. Gourley, Strathcona, Winnipeg.
- 1932—James Congalton, Granite, Winnipeg.
- 1933—Cliff R. Manahan, Royal Club, Edmonton.
- 1934—Leo Johnson, Strathcona, Winnipeg.
- 1935—Gordon Campbell, Tristram club, Hamilton, Ont.
- 1936—J. K. Watson, Strathcona, Winnipeg.
- 1937—Cliff R. Manahan, Edmonton.
- 1938—Albert Gowanlock, Glenboro, Man.
- 1939—Herbert C. Hall, Granite club, Kitchener, Ont.
- 1940—Howard Wood, Granite, Winnipeg.
- 1941—Howard Palmer, Calgary.
- 1942—J. K. Watson, Strathcona, Winnipeg.
- 1943-44-45—Competition suspended on account of war.
- 1946—Billy Rose, Sedgewick, Alta.
- 1947—Jimmy Welsh, Deer Lodge, Winnipeg.

AUSTRALIA APPOINTS NEW GOVERNOR

CANBERRA. — William John McKell, former Labor premier of New South Wales and second Australian-born governor-general ever to be appointed, was sworn in at a 13-minute ceremony in the federal senate chamber here.

McKell, successor to the Duke of Gloucester, took the oath of office before a gathering of foreign diplomatic representatives and distinguished Australians including 46 of 76 members of the parliamentary Labor party and 15 of 42 opposition members of the house of representatives and senate.

Though Liberal leader R. G. Menzies and country party leader Arthur Fadden attended the ceremony, the Sydney Sun reported the swearing-in under the headline:

"Opposition boycotts McKell ceremony; many empty seats."

McKell, former boilermaker and son of a butcher, was appointed to his post despite some protests here against naming an active political figure as the king's representative.

The appointment, which received the king's approval, was made on recommendation of the commonwealth government.

MASTER OF THE KING'S MUSIC TO TOUR CANADA

Edgar Stanley Roper, C.V.C., M.V.C., F.R.C.O., master of the King's Music and organist, composer and choirmaster of His Majesty's Chapel Royal, will arrive in Canada shortly on a three-months tour of the Dominion, according to C.N.R. officials. He will be accompanied by Cornelius Fisher, of the Guildhall School of Music, and Michael Head, leading English song composer.

They will attend the musical festivals at Toronto, Ottawa, Stratford, Sudbury, Winnipeg, Saskatoon, Regina, Edmonton, Vernon and Vancouver. At the latter point they will act as judges of the British Columbia event.

Floods Causing Traffic Tie-Up In Britain

LONDON.—Floods, caused by a great thaw and rain, stopped trains, diverted road traffic and has put hundreds of acres of land under water in Britain.

Reports from the upper reaches of the Thames showed there was imminent danger of the second serious flood within four months. The river rose another foot. The air ministry said the thaw would continue.

No more pleasant than the 200-mile wide belt of rain which lashed the isles from south to north, was the news that butchers' meat supplies would be cut and that full-scale rationing of domestic fuel during the summer was a concrete possibility.

The reduction of meat to butchers will not mean a cut in the individual ration, worth about 27 cents a week, but less extras for the housewife to eke out her menus.

The present practice is to allow butchers about a 10 per cent. margin to provide for difficulty of cutting out the exact ration for each customer, and to allow meat for sausages and pressed meats. For the time being this margin will be cut in half, the government said.

Commenting on the statement by Sir Stafford Cripps, president of the board of trade, in the house of commons on potential fuel rationing, J. R. W. Alexander, general manager of the British gas council, told the press that illuminating gas should not be rationed unless the government was satisfied that restrictions of gas usage would not save enough coal.

In the commons Sir Stafford warned not only of rationing but of the necessity for wholesale staggering of industrial working hours to ease the electricity burden on war-heated generators, and railroad passenger service cuts June 1.

Staggering plans in factories already are being worked out.

Thaw has in general loosed the dam of traffic waiting at snow-blocked roads, and coal was moving over highways, railroads and sea channels.

The thaw, followed in some areas 25 days of snow, began to uncover for farmers the extent of their losses.

Shepherds on Derbyshire moors were out trying to rescue sheep hurried in drifts for the last week. At least half the total number of sheep turned out there last fall, it was said, were either dead or would die.

Farmers feared a too rapid thaw might drown much of the winter wheat on heavy land with lack of slope.

New Idea

MENLO PARK, Calif.—Sammy Yates showed up in the eighth grade at Central school with a cigar box.

He opened it and passed out all-day suckers, explaining: "I'm a brother."

TROWBRIDGE, England. — When two little girls were carried to the window of a blazing apartment house, four unknown sailors formed a human chain on the ladder and passed them down to safety.

Dominions Seek Representation At The Big Four Conference

—German Peace Settlement

MOSCOW.—During the Big Four conference here, the Dominions will stress their case hard for adequate representation for middle and small powers in preparation of the German peace settlement, it was learned.

While a direct approach cannot be made to the council of foreign ministers itself, diplomatic representatives of Canada, Australia and New Zealand will urge in private talks and informal meetings with the conference delegates that the 18 other states which fought in Europe be given an opportunity to share in the actual work of the settlement. South Africa has no diplomatic mission here.

(It was learned authoritatively in

London earlier that Foreign Secretary Bevin plans to see Prime Minister Stalin personally to urge a change of Russian policy so that the Dominions can take a fuller share in the treaty drafting.)

The focal point of the Dominions' argument will be the contention that the middle and small powers should be on the committees which likely will be set up by the Big Four to continue to work along with the deputies on Germany after the Moscow conference ends.

The plan for a committee structure was advanced in London by the United States and would provide for political, economic, territorial and military committees with various sub-committees.

AMPUTEES PLACED IN EMPLOYMENT

OTTAWA.—A total of 1,490 amputees of the Second Great War have been successfully placed in employment, including nine out of 11 double arm amputees, according to Walter Tucker, parliamentary assistant to the minister of veterans' affairs.

The veterans' affairs department has provided through its prosthetic service an artificial limb service unexcelled by any other country. The service is provided at no cost to the disabled veteran through 12 centres located in the principal cities of Canada from Halifax to Victoria, said Mr. Tucker.

Approximately 3,500 veterans of the First Great War and 2,000 of the Second Great War have been fitted. The department has full rights to the metal leg as supplied by the contractors to the British ministry of pensions, the largest metal leg manufacturers in the world. Close contact is kept with development in Great Britain, the United States and by Canada's own research committee.

"Brother's Keeper"

VANCOUVER.—An older and wiser brother, who was his "brother's keeper", brought a happy ending to a holdup committed recently.

Robbed of \$15 and a wrist-watch by two young, armed youths, Fred Henderson was standing on a street corner consoling himself over the loss of his possessions. A man approached him and quickly thrust three five-dollar bills and a watch into his hand.

"I heard about the trouble you had this afternoon," he said. "My brother and another guy held you up."

UNITED STATES FIRM TO OPEN STORES IN CANADA

VANCOUVER.—Sears-Roebuck and Co., one of the world's largest merchandising firms recently incorporated in Canada with a charter for opening stores of offices in the Dominion, will open its first Canadian branch office in Vancouver, company officials in Seattle said.



WANTS ENGLAND TO JOIN UNION.—Suggestion that England, Wales, Scotland and Ireland join the United States was made by Sen. Richard B. Russell, seen here, of Georgia. He said the absorption of what was once the mother country of the U.S. was "the only solution."

CHURCHILL INVITED TO WASKESIU

SASKATOON.—Winston Churchill has been invited to address the annual meeting of the Retail Merchants' Association of Canada at Waskesiu, Sask., June 16-17, a spokesman for the association said.

Mr. Churchill will be in North America during June and is expected to address the Chemical Institute of Canada convention June 8-11 at Banff, Alta.

TAXES TO STAY

WASHINGTON. — President Truman signed legislation extending the wartime excise tax rates. The legislation continues indefinitely the high wartime levels on such items as liquor, furs, jewelry and cosmetics and for transportation and telephone services.

Y.M.C.A. DELEGATE

EDMONTON. — Les D. Wedman, Edmonton newspaperman (Journal) will be one of six Canadian Y.M.C.A. delegates to the world youth conference in Oslo, Norway, and will represent Alberta and British Columbia, it was announced.



DOG DERBY SETS NEW RECORD.—New record, said to be the longest time ever taken in the Honey Harbor, Ont., three-mile dog race, was set by Herb Cousineau, seen with his team as he receives the Musher trophy from B. E. Lavalley. The three-mile event signifies the Canadian championship for two-dog teams, and veteran drivers reported the heaviest going of any year. The Honey Harbor event has become the classic of Canadian dog derbies and is sponsored by the Sleigh Dog association of that community.



U.S. PRESIDENT VISITS MEXICO.—U.S. President Harry Truman stands (left) beside President Miguel Aleman of Mexico in the automobile they rode through Mexico City, where Mr. Truman promised Mexico that he will stand by the "Good Neighbor" policy and the doctrine of non-intervention. In his speech of welcome to the distinguished visitor, President Aleman said that "no rivalry" holds the U.S. and Mexico apart.

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